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RAIN COMES TO WIDE SECTION TEXAS

BODY MAJOR GILLIS IS DUE HERE SATURDAY

BOLT STRIKES NEAR SCHOOL WRECKS A NEARBY CHURCH

Home For Burial

CAPT. BILLY BATTE BRYAN

BODY OF CAPT. BRYAN ON WAY FOR BURIAL

The body of Capt. Billy Batte Bryan, U. S. Army Air Corps, Fighter Plane Pilot, who was killed in a plane crash over England after he had survived the exploits of battles in the skies over France, was on its way home to Cameron for burial.

Capt. Bryan's body is aboard the army transort Robinson due to dock soon at an eastern port. Six fellow central Texans are on the same ship coming home to be buried in their home soil.

Capt. Bryan lost his life in a plane crash over England. He was on his way to England to rest from battle incident to the invasion, when the ship crased killing him and companions.

The accident occured on July 2, 1944. He is the son of John Bryan of Cameron.

From the files of the Daily Herald is the following brief account of his exploits at the invasion of France:

"Captain Bryan was one of the heroes of the invasion of France on June 6th. On the day of the invasion he was one among a number of Texas flyers who were the first to reach the invasion coast and engage the Germans. In the battle which ensued Capt. Bryan shot down two German planes and may have shot down a third. He became separated from the formation and suddenly discovered two Messerschmits on the tail of his ship and two others moving in for the attack. Thus besieged by 4 he maneuvered his ship into combat position and shot down two and badly damaged another. Capt. Bryan then executed a dive of several thousand feet to shake off other planes and made his way safely to his base."

SEWERAGE CHARGES ARE HIKED BY CITY

Sewer connection charges inside the city have been increased from $3.00 to $9.00 by action of the City Council Tuesday night.

On July 1 this year sewer connection charges outside the city were raised to $12.00.

The new rates in the city limits will take effect on January 1, 1949.

Property owners who have been upped from $3.00 to $9.00 on these charges may well remember that the charges in Cameron are still far below many cities and up to the time it became necessary to make these increases Cameron had the lowest charges of any city of comparable size anywhere in this area of Texas.

Mrs. Wallace Moody of Minerva is among the patients in Newton Memorial Hospital.

MANY SECTIONS OVER STATE RECEIVE RAIN

At 8 a. m. Tuesday Cameron had .42 inches of rain on official reading according to L. W. Smith at the Community Public Service Company.

Since the last official reading of the gauge at that time more had fallen and the total precipitation for the day may have reached .75.

Heavy clouds were noted in surrounding areas and an electrical storm around 5 a. m. lent indication that heavier downpours were being received west and south of the city.

The rainfall was only slight in comparison to needs but will be helpful.

The weather would continue humid and cloudy skies would give promise of more rain. A cold front was stymied in southern Kansas but may reach Central Texas by late Thursday or Friday.

Elsewhere in the State, Tuesdays rains ranged from a few tantalizing drops at drought-stricken Lubbock to 2:50 inches at Dallas. The heavy, steady rain at Dallas ended a 156-day drought in that area, where there had not been any precipitation of great quantity since June 28, when 2.79 inches were recorded.

Bonham reported a total rainfall of 1.05 inches, Sherman, .38 Clarendon and Midland less than .01 inch. The weather bureau said "a good amount" of rain had fallen in that part of East Texas from Waco northeastward.

The rain followed one of the hottest December spells on record. Several points reported the warmest December weather recorded. The temperature at Waco soared to 74 degrees at 4 p. m., and Anderson predicted a high today of 78. Neither Tuesday's maximum or the expected high today would, however, surpass all records for December weather here. A high of 78 was recorded Monday.

The Weather Bureau predicted continued warm weather today, but added that a cold wave retarded by the rain would make it colder tonight or Thursday. Minimum temperature predicted for tonight is 50 degrees.

$81,000 IN BAD CHECKS CLOSE FRANKLIN BANK

SAN ANTONIO, Dec. 14—C. E. Weeks, agent in charge of the FBI here, disclosed Tuesday that the First State Bank of Franklin had lost $81,000 through an apparent embezzlement.

Weeks said a business man from the area has been missing since the latter part of November in connection with the case.

"The First State Bank," said Weeks, "is left with $81,000 in worthless checks on its hands."

At Franklin, W. C. Crane, presi-

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FUNERAL SERVICES TO BE HELD SATURDAY

The body of Major Wm. G. Gillis will arrive in Cameron at 3:30 a. m. Saturday, December 18 over the Santa Fe and will be taken to the chapel of the Green Funeral Home where it will remain until the funeral hour on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Major Gillis, Commander of the First Battalion of the famous 35th Division of the U. S. Third Army commanded by the late General George S. Patton, was killed in action in the fighting before Metz on October 1, 1944.

The body of Major Gillis arrived aboard a memorial ship in New York Harbor late last week along with 7000 Americans who lost their lives in the invasion fighting and were buried in military cemeteries in France.

Funeral arrangements have been completed here with services to be held at First Presbyterian Church at 3 p. m. Saturday, December 18 by Dr. W. R. Hall, minister, assisted by Rev. O. C. Acrey of the Westminister Presbyterian Church in Corpus Christi and former minister here.

The ritual of the church will be read at the interment site in Oak Hill Cemetery and with it fully military Honors with the local Veterans organizations directing.

One of the youngest Battalion Commanders in the armed forces of the United States, Major Gillis received numerous decorations for gallantry in action and was praised highly by superior officers for the spearhead fighting that led to the capture of

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FIREMEN THANKFUL TO CITIZENS FOR MONEY

Cameron Volunteer Fire Department headed by Chief Ralph Michalka, express their appreciation for financial aid from the citizens.

John C. Andres, Secretary, released the following for publication:

"The members of the Cameron Volunteer Firemen are indeed grateful to the many Citizens in Cameron for their generous contributions toward the firemen in showing their appreciation for the services they have been rendering.

"Being a volunteer organization, we feel very proud to know so many Citizens in this community realize the work we have been doing, in our small way, to serve our City and community.

"By your generous donations, the Firemen have been able to purchase new Coats and helmets, which were so badly needed.

"Many thanks to each individaul citizen of Cameron for their thoughtful consideration to the Fire Boys.

GUARD IS INSPECTED

SMALL NUMBER MEN ONLY CRITICISM HERE

Battery C, 239th Field Artillery Battalion, received a rating of satisfactory, in spite of some deficiencies, after its most recent Federal inspection on last Monday afternoon and evening.

The inspection was made by Lt. Col. Smith of the Inspector General's Department, Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio. He checked the battery's records and equipment in the afternoon and observed the regular two hour drill period that evening.

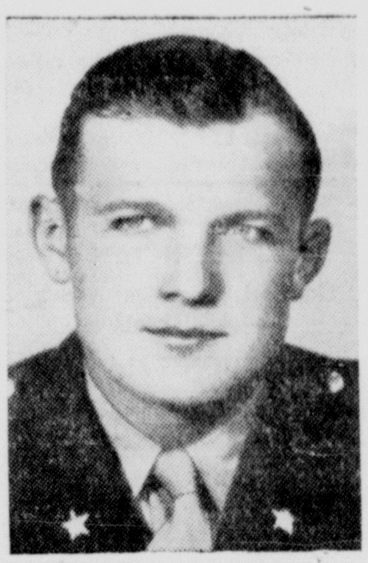
The worst deficiency, Captain Rudolph Michalka, the battrey's Commanding Officer, said he was informed, was the small number of men in the unit. "We are far below the strength we should have at this time," he explained.

He added that some progress towards correcting this was made last week when two more men were enlisted. They are Johnny R. Yarbrough, a Yoe High School student, and Charles A. Brady, a photographer.

Capt. Michalka said he wanted to point out again that young men 17 to 18 1-2 years of age who join the National Guard now will be exempt from the draft. Anyone interested can contact him at the Cameron Machine Shop.

Maj. Gillis one of Youngest Battalion Commanders, Decorated by Three Governments for Heroism in Battles

Home For Burial



MAJ. Wm. G. GILLIS

The body of Maj. William G. Gillis was due to arrive in Cameron at 3:30 a. m. Saturday from New York one among 7000 American soldiers from the battlefields of Europe coming home for burial in home lands. The ship Carroll Victory, docked in New York late last week and from there Major Gillis came home to the city of his birth and the people he loved.

Major William G. Gillis, Class of 1941, United States Military Acadamy at West Point, is the subject of an unusual euology in the current issue of Assembly, magazine of the Academy, and written by Colonel M. A. Solomon who was Chief of Staff for the 35th Division.

Major Gillis was killed in action on September 30, 1944, at the age of 26 years, one of the youngest Battalion Commanders in the history of the Army.

Recounting that Major Gillis was a good staff officer at Headquarters of the 35th Division commanded by General Paul W. Body who visited in the home of Mrs. Lula C. Gillis here two years ago, Colonel Solomon said that Major Gillis was most happy when with his Battalion they mounted trucks and hit out for the tough battle over St. Lo. The hedgerows had been tough but the Third Army under General Patton was beginning the great push.

The 35th Division soon found itself commited after the Germans attacking fanatically had regained Mortain. Major Gillis commanded the 1st Battalion. A Battalion of the 30th was surrounded on Hill 317. Major General Paul W. Beade, Commander of the 35th had only one remaining fresh Battalion, that the 1st commanded by Major Gillis.

Colonel Solomon says: "As a good commander, Bill analyzed his mission and looked over his tools. He was calm and serious. He realized that here in his first battle as a commander he was faced with a situation that would have been most perplexing to a veteran. But failure in his mission never once occured to him. Not once did he doubt the ability of his men; men who idolized him because they knew he would ask nothing of them that he would not do himself; men who knew that when the going was toughest Major "Bill" would be with them.

"But little did Bill and his men realize as they assaulted the heights of Hill 317 that they were fighting one of the great battles of the war." Continuing Col. Solomon says: "At dawn the next day Bill reported that he had accomplished his mission. He

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FAMILY HERE ADVISED OF MISSING AIRMAN

S-Sgt. James Arvin Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mitchell of White Hall, was this week reported missing in the recent Pacific plane crash between Kwajalein and Johnson Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell received a telegram from the War Department Tuesday afternoon at 4 p. m. stating that their son was one of four reported missing in the crash. No further word had been received at the time of publication.

Tuesday the Navy issued a list of 33 men picked up by the escort carrier Rendova in rolling seas, but none of the survivors listed were from Texas. The ill-fated air force C-54 transport went down when two of its motors failed.

The immediate family of James Mitchell, including his wife and two children are in the State of Washington.

Three brothers, Aldon, L. E., Jr., and Darrell and one sister, Miss LeNell Mitchell, are making their home at White Hall with their parents. Another sister Mrs. Etoile Hodde is a resident of Spicewood, Texas.

James Mitchell held the rank of Sgt. at the time he was reported missing. He was a veteran of World War II and re-enlisted approximately one year ago. He received his diploma from the Cameron High School and attended the Methodist university.

Cadet H. H. Stedman Makes Honor Roll At Military School

BOONVILLE, Mo. Dec. 11—Cadet H. H. Stedman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stedman of Cameron, was one of the ninety-seven cadets to make the honor roll for the third grade month of Nov.-Dec., recently published by Lt. Col. F. J. Marston, dean at Kemper Military School. In order to make the dean's list a cadet must have attained an average of 87 or above in all his classes for one month.

NORTH ELM CHURCH IS WRECKED BY LIGHTNING

A bolt of lightning wrecked the North Elm Baptist Church early Tuesday morning within 50 feet of the public school where Mrs. Sam Houston and her pupils were proceeding with classes.

The church building did not burn but was ripped apart by the bolt.

Mrs. Houston and pupils were shocked by the bolt slightly, it was said but no one was injured.

The North Elm Baptist Church is situated near the school and across the highway is the North Elm Cemetery where many of the pioneers of North Elm and Yarrellton communities are buried.

MARAK MAKING PLANS FOR NEW PROGRESS

A new church for SS. Cyril and Methodius Parish at Marak, now under construction will cost around $30,000 or more, it was revealed here Friday by Rev. Ben Holub.

The foundation for the church has already been laid, said Father Holub and the present church structure will be used for a recreation center as a part of the community progress in the Marak Community.

The people of the Marak community are bitterly disappointed, said Father Holub, over the failure of the road program. He feels as do the members of his Parish that the Commissioners Court should have long ago designated a road to Marak.

The first mass meeting in the county seeking better rural roads was held at Marak. The people there feel that they should have been first to have a road designated.

Father Holub made it clear that they rejoice that other communities are

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MAN QUESTIONED HERE FOLLOWING SHOOTING

(From the Daily)

Shirley Diane Sapp, 3 year old grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sapp of Cameron, was wounded around 7 p. m. Sunday, December 12 when four shots from a 22 calibre rifle were fired into the car in which 4 persons were riding.

The shooting occured at the intersection of a private road leading from the Coy Arledge farm to the Cameron and Yarrellton road.

Frank Slavik, farmer and World War I veteran, was questioned here Monday morning by County Attorney Bill Morrison.

In the car were Mr. and Mrs. Sapp, their grand daughter and a negro named "Chock." According to officers they were returning from the Arledge farm nearby where Mr. Sapp and the negro were retained to feed some live stock.

The ambush occured about three quarters of a mile from the Frank Slavik home. In all four shots were fired into the car. Three of the bullets from the rifle entered the front windshield and one passed through the car, crashing out the back window and Diane Baker was wounded by flying glass. The fourth shot entered a side window of the car and two of the bullets were found inside the car.

Slavik was in the process of being recommited to the Veterans Hospital in Austin where he has been a patient at various times beginning shortly after the close of the war in 1918. Officers here said that Slavik has been making periodical visits to the hospital and is under care and supervision of Dr. Wheeler, Psychiatrist for the Veterans Hospital.

GAUSE IS EXPANDING ATHLETIC PROGRAM

A program begun in 1947 because community leaders felt a fine interest in the young people at Gause is about to be expanded for the coming summer.

Gene Walker of Gause was in Cameron Saturday and told The Herald of the new plans and recent activities. The athletic field constructed last year is paid for and stands are to be erected.

Recently the Gause Athletic Association staged an entertainment around the play, "Womanless Wedding," and held a cake auction. The wedding cake brought $50.00. The money is being raised for the coming year and with all obligations paid for lights and improving the field, the Association feels it has succeeded well.

The womanless wedding cast is ready to stage this entertainment in other communities and is offering to aid in this way other places who might want such a program.

Mr. Walker wanted to express the thanks of the people of Gause for money donated last year in Cameron to this program.

NEW DAY DAWNS FOR FARMS ALONG RIVERS

BELTON, Dec. 9—Leon River bottom farmers, hopelessly outnumbered by an estimated 5,000 persons who forsook city jobs for a few hours to attend groundbreaking ceremonies for the Belton Reservoir dam, stood around in amazement here this afternoon as politicians, Army officers, and Chamber of Commerce officials stuck seven shinny spades in the hard banks of the Leon River, marking start of the work.

Even the squirrels abandoned the tall pecan trees for a more sheltered and quieter area in other parts. Never before had so many people been crowded into one rural spot on the river's edge.

A bevy of speakers headed by Senator-elect Lyndon Johnson and Representative W. R. Poage explained every benefit which would be derived from the dam, including hydro-electric power and soil conservation, as the spectators found a nearby hill just as advantageous for watching the ceremony as 50-yard-line seats are for seeing a football game.

Spades were sunk into the spot marked as centerline of the proposed dam. They were wielded by E. D. Farrow of Itasca, president of the Brazos River Transmission and Electrical Co-operative; George Chance, president of the Brazos River Conservation and Reclamation District; Representative W. R. Poage; Senator-elect Lyndon Johnson; Col. Henry Hutchings Jr., division engineer; Col. E. O. Robinson, district engineer; and E. V. Spence, chairman of the State Board of Water Engineers.

At the end of the ground-breaking rites the silver-painted shovels were turned over to Chamber of Commerce representatives from Killeen, Cameron, Belton, Gatesville, Temple, McGregor, and Moody.

These spades will be replaced by earth movers after the first of the year if plans made by Army engineers materialize. About $500,000 has already been appropriated for work on the dam and another allocation is expected next year.

Lyndon Johnson, making his first Central Texas speaking engagement since his victory in the race for U. S. Senator, said the number one problem in Texas today is to conserve water and soil. "The people of this State are no richer than the soil," Johnson said, "and I will pledge that no day will be too long nor no night too dark for me to strive to see that this project is finished."

Johnson explained that three out of four gallons of water that fall on Texas farms today wind their way back to the Gulf of Mexico through such streams as the Leon River and emphasized that the percentage of water draining into rivers should be reduced by the increased use of soil conservation practices.

"'Landslide Lyndon' is always glad to return to Central Texas because there are fewer Johnson haters and more real Democrats than anywhere else," the junior Senator-elect said.

Representative Poage told the crowd that there had been numerous forces of opposition to the dam because some people couldn't realize that large amounts of flood water coming from the Leon River created a worse flood on the Brazos further downstream.

"The floods of our time are greater that those of our ancestors because fields have been plowed up and rich soil is now lodged behind logs in the bed of the river," Poage said.

"We now have a complete survey of the Brazos Valley watershed and we also have recommendations to solve heavy flood losses as well as water shortages." Poage said in explaining that all of the dams proposed for the watershed are interdependent.

Poage pointed out that soil conservation and flood control starts at the same point.

George Chance, president of the Brazos River Conservation and Reclamation District, explained the setup of the district from the origin of the Brazos in New Mexico to the Gulf of Mexico. He told of plans the 21 members of the board of directors had made to accomplish flood control throughout the watershed.

Colonel Hutchins gave the Army Engineers' idea of flood control over the 44,000 square miles of the Brazos watershed and promised that work on the Belton dam and other dams would progress as fast as allocation of funds was made. Colonel Robinson gave statistics on the proposed Belton Reservoir and Dam.

The dam, when completed, will be almost two miles in length. It will consist of earth fill and concrete and will form a reservoir of water covering 23,620 acres. The elevation of the spillway will be 631 feet, and the height of the dam will be 190 feet from the bed of the river.

Immediately preceding the official ground-breaking ceremonies, a barbecue dinner was served and band concerts were given by high school bands from Temple, Gatesville, Cameron and Killeen.

GOALS MUST SOON BE REACHED BY BATTERY

There is real danger Cameron may lose its National Guard Unit.

Progress has been slow and the Battery has been far short of its recruiting goal and in addition has muffed one inspection and now faces another inspection next week.

Capt. R. H. Wilds of Temple, Administrative Officer, was in Cameron Thursday confering with local leaders of the Guard Unit and plans to go before the Camber of Commerce next week to make an appeal to the business men.

Capt. Wilds believes that the Guard Unit can be expanded to expected goals here if the people of the community will get behind it as they should. He said he could not understand why the unit had not met expected standards because units in Taylor and Temple are well up over quotas and at Taylor recruits are waiting to get in the Guard there. Here in Cameron recruiting has been too slow.

Two recruits were received this week to encourage the local situation. Despite publicity and appeals through many news stories written by Dick Albertson, the unit here has not met its expected goal. Young men facing draft may do their training at home.

Business men were expected to manifest immediate concern since it is now definite fact that the unit will be lost to Cameron quickly if something is not done to meet standards.

Letter To Santa From Germany Is Received By Herald

The Herald has received a letter to Santa Claus from Germany written by Jimmy Coody, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tomek, Sr., of Elm Ridge.

Mrs. James Coody, mother of Jimmy, is now in Germany with her husband who is with the armed services.

She says: The Herald is coming through fine. I really enjoy reading them. Germany is quite different from Texas, especially the weather. It is very cold over here now. We all like it over here."

Warmer and Cloudy Forecast for Sunday

It will be warmer and cloudy over the week end.

If you are planning a trip you would do well to anticipate rain, although such a thing seems fantastic. Some showers had fallen over south Texas and in the north plains but generally it was bone dry.

After Sunday another cold spell may reach this area for it was due in Kansas and Oklahoma, coming down from the Canadian border.

The weather over the week end will be warmer but still rather cool.

Falls Asleep And Car Crashes Tree

Frank Morriss of Temple, brakeman with the Santa Fe Railroad. was slightly injured here Thursday morning when his car crashed into a tree near the Dusek grocery on Highway 77 north.

Mr. Morriss fell asleep at the wheel. It was around 2 a. m. as he was coming in from Temple. His car was almost completely demolished he miraculously escaped more serious hurts.

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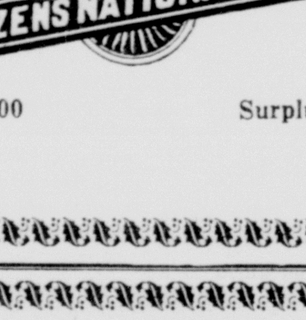

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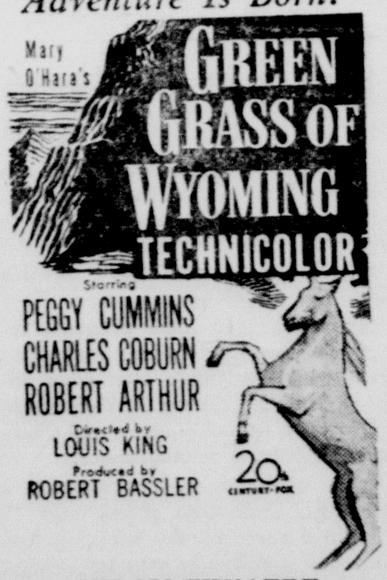

MILAM THEATRE
Tuesday and Wednesday
December 21 and 22

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96 YEAR OLD PIONEER BURIED WALKERS CREEK

G. T. Hightower, in his 97th year, died in St. Edward's Hospital in Cameron at 3:30 a. m. Sunday, December 12.

Mr. Hightower had been ill for the past few weeks at his home in Walkers Creek Community. He had celebrated his 96th birthday on August 24, 1948.

Funeral services were held Monday, December 13 at 2 p. m. from the Walkers Creek Baptist Church by Rev. L. L. Morriss, pastor First Baptist Church in Cameron. Interment was made in the historic Walkers Creek Cemetery with the Green Funeral Home in Cameron directing arrangements.

Pallbearers were grandsons.

Born 8 years before Lincoln became president of the United States he first saw light of day on a farm in Barbara County Alabama. He was born August 24, 1852 and lived in Alabama through the war period and a long way through years of reconstruction before joining the westward march of pioneers out to Texas. Mr. Hightower came to Texas in 1877 and was 25 years old. He has been a resident of Milam County for 71 years.

After almost a century of active living, Mr. Hightower found it difficult to restrict himself to the limitations of old age. He suffered an accident some years ago, broke a hip. Physicians were agreed he might never walk again, or live long. Not so with this hardy pioneer who was determined to get out of bed and did. Doctors set the broken bones and he was able to get about. Most any morning or late faternoon he could be seen puttering about the farm home, feeding chickens or sitting with his thoughts of long ago. Born to the soil he had never left it.

Mrs. Hightower is 85. They were married in Milam county on July 8, 1878 just a year after he came out from Alabama. Mrs. Hightower, before her marriage was Miss Eva Davis. The wedding took place on the Randolph farm on Little River. Mrs. Hightower was born in 1863. They celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary this year on July 8. Mr. and Mrs. Hightower had 13 children; Clifford and Bob died early in life.

Survivors are his widow and following children: Miss Effie Hightower, Roy Hightower, Tom Hightowre, Oscar Hightower, Mrs. Cage Kennon and Mrs. Stella McCall all of Cameron; Dewey Hightower, Fletcher Hightower and Mrs. Perry Simons all of Houston, Charlie Hightower of Freeport and Mrs. Dave Angell of Hanover.

Grand Children are: LaVada, Ivy, Ozell and Oleta Angell; Aubrey and Harley Hightower; Ruby Hightower; Lois, Pauline, Clarence Jr., Wilma and Phillip Dean McCall; Helen Ruth and Charles Jr., Hightower; J. T., Joyce Hightower; Billy and Eva Ruth Simons; Dean and Carroll Kennon; Howard and Kathleen Hightower.

There are thirteen great grandchildren as follows: Billie Jean, Richard, Faye and Ferrell Angell, Peggy, Patsy Ruth, and Cynthia Hightower, Bennie Bailey, Ronnie and Larry Plentl, Beverly, Paul Freeman and Belton Jr., Hill.

Herald Receives New Automatic Printing Press Wednesday

The Herald has received a new 12x18 Chandler & Price printing press to augment its battery of three commercial units.

This press, latest type of automatic unit will be installed and ready for operation in the next two weeks.

With the addition of this equipment a greater volume of printing will be possible, especially programs, catalogs and two color work, and for large orders.

This press was purchased from Chandler & Price in Cleveland, Ohio through Palmer Paper Company in Houston.

FIRE AT GOHMERT'S

Fire threatened the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Gohmert Wednesday when a curtain in the kitchen caught on fire from a gas stove. The flames were quickly extinguished with only slight damage.

A chip on the shoulder indicates there is wood higher up.

CAMERON LEADERS ON PROGRAM THURSDAY

(From the Daily)

The first shovel of dirt will be scooped up from the Miller Springs dam site on the Leon River near Belton this afternoon in what will be the most far reaching conservation and flood control development in the history of Central Texas.

A large delegation of Cameron leaders left the city at 10 a. m. Thursday for the ceremonies to mark the beginning of construction on the dam that will harness the largest tributary of little River, the most destructive stream in Texas.

Prominent on the program will be Lyndon Johnson, senator elect from Texas, Col. Henry Hutchins, Jr., Army Engineer, Congressman Bob Poage of Waco, George Chance, Olin Teague and Lindley Beckworth.

Milam County stands to profit more in the long run from this dam than any other county, since 90 per cent of the tortuous channel of Little River winds through the county.

Streams properly harnessed on the water shed of Little River will make possible reclamation of thousands of acres of rich bottom lands now devastated by floods. This flood control program will make farming profitable again in Little River bottoms.

Mrs. Rosa Kemp Adams of Houston spent the week end here in her home, and had as house guest, Mrs. Lina R. Kemp.

Universal Bible Sunday, December 12, will be observed in the First Methodist church at the morning service at 10:55. The pastor's sermon topic is "The Enduring Word."

John Henry Wilson has accepted a position with the Calcasieu Maine National bank of Sulfur Louisiana. Mrs. Wilson will join him after the holidays.

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Music Lovers Here Praise Concert By Jaques Abram

Jacques Abram, pianist played the first concert of Civic Music series here on December 7, to a capacity crowd.

His style of music is to be compared with that of Jose Sturli, foremost pianist. Mr. Abram's unique fingerwork surpasses many of our pianists in this country and abroad.

Numbers on his concert included three numbers by Johann Bach. They were prelude in G Minor. These were among Bach's most difficult piano concert masterpieces. Continuing with three numbers by Mozart, Allegro Maestro, Andante, Cantabile, Presto Congredidgo.

After the intermission he played mostly numbers by Fredric Chopin, Sonata B Minor and others.

Max McClaren, president of Civic Music says Cameron is fortunate in having Mr. Abram for the first concert. From here he will play two more Texas concerts, one at Commerce and one at Abilene, then he will go to Seattle, Washington for a concert, then to San Francisco to be piano soloist with the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra. Mr. Abram will also play with the Cleveland Symphony in January and will be in Houston in early February for a concert with the Houston Symphony.

Mr. McClaren also stated that he plans to have the National Male Quartet here on the 2nd of February as they are listed for Cameron on that date.

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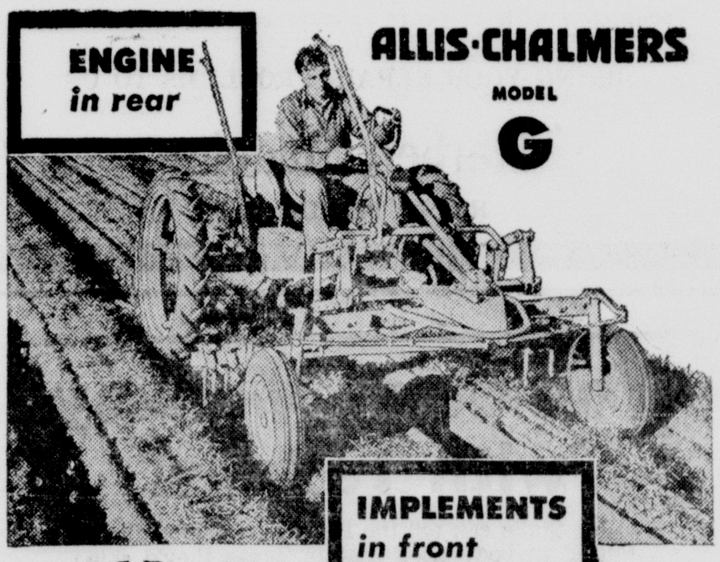

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Ervin Hrozek is ill and a patient at Newton Memorial Hospital.

Elo Chollett was a Cameron business visitor recently.

Chas. Hicks, school superintendent made a business trip to Camp Swift one day this week.

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NEW BOY SCOUT TROOP ORGANIZED

At a meeting held at the Cameron Water Office Monday evening, Dec. 13 a new scout troop of boys in the 12 to 13 year age was organized. This troop is sponsored by the Cameron Rotary Club.

Wells Smith was elected Scout Master and J. R. Poole Assistant Scout Master. Two patrols were formed, the Crows and the Bobcats. Johnny Green was elected Patrol leader of the Bob Cats and assistant patrol leader Henry Heath. Members of this patrol are as follows: Dick Jenness, Allen Schiller, Edward Brady Billy Newton, Tazh Fonville, Elton Coward and Alton Weems. W. K. Leonard was elected patrol leader of the Crows and assistant patrol leader G. Childress. Members of this patrol are as follows: Roger Shuemate, Franklin Stewart, David McLain, Max Shumate, Ben Hubert and Arthur Martin.

Dick Jenness was elected scout scribe and treasurer.

The boys made plans for a hike next Saturday Afternoon at 4 p. m. They also made plans for overnight hikes and camping trips for the summer.

These boys are looking forward to a very active troop and are very fortunate in having Mr. Smith and Mr. Poole as their leaders, and in having the Rotary Club as their sponsor.

Emory Camp, III, In Hospital; Hit In Eye By Rock Near School

Emory Camp, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emory B. Camp, is in Newton Memorial Hospital with a critical eye injury.

He was on his way home Tuesday when another student, an older boy, began throwing rocks, two of the stones striking Emory, III, one critically injuring an eye.

Mr. Camp and father E. A. Camp of Rockdale, were in Fort Worth on legal business and learned of the attack on Emory, III. Mrs. Camp rushed her son to the hospital and an eye specialist was consulted.

Up to noon Wednesday sight had not been recovered and the extent of the injury would not be known until Thursday, it was said. The rock attack occured a short distance from the school campus. Little Emory was on his way home.

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Most Needy Case Here Is Mother With Four Little Children

(From the Daily)

Cameron's most needy case to-day is a family of five, a mother and her four little children.

They have no means to get adequate food, the little ones are hungry and cold; the mother works when she can but somehow cannot make her income more than about $7.50 per week because she has to look after the children, two of them quite small. The mother has tried to make out with a negro to help but she cannot earn enough to buy food for herself and her little family, let alone pay for help.

As if this were not enough to break her heart, she was told to-day that her furniture must be taken back because there is some $94 due and this she cannot pay.

Her babies have no milk at times. She got some help from one of the charities but baby milk is so high they don't see how they can afford any more.

The mother was recently deserted by her husband. She tried to find a home for two of the little children and keep the other two but relatives were not impressed.

H. C. Leonard at the Humble Station on North Fannin, brought this appeal to The Herald. He will receive cash, clothing or furniture. He feels that those who can spare beds, mattresses or springs or anything in the way of house furnishings, they would do a very worthy thing to give them. Mr. Leonard recently bought the family a heater. The children were cold.

You can telephone 806-W the Leonard Residence or 9506 the Station and be assured Mr. Leonard will see that everything donated will be given to the needy family.

The Community Chest and the Charities have done fine work in taking care of these cases but so far as Mr. Leonard knows no funds are now available or being collected.

Sometimes we get around to think the human race has lost all interest in its kind. We parade our wealth and our resources while little children starve in the shadow of our spires and pinacles of stone, but somehow Good Samaritans come along and our faith is restored. If our religion teaches us anything it is that we are our brother's keeper. Please do what you can for this destitute little family.

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The home of Mrs. Anna Kirk at 202 North Jefferson Avenue was desdestroyed by fire around 2 p. m. Wednesday.

The fire was said to have started from a gas heater in a bed room of the home and quickly spread to the roof and adjoining rooms.

Some of the home furnishings were saved but badly damaged by smoke and water. Furnishings in two of the rooms of the home along with clothing were a total loss.

Mrs. Lester Williams and Mrs. Bill Burns shopped in Austin Wednesday and Thursday of the past week.

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PRESIDENT LOSES ONE VOTE FROM TENNESSEE

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The count, after this step in the electoral college process, was: Democrat Truman 303, Republican Thomas E. Dewey 189, States Righter J. Strom Thurmond 39.

A majority is required to elect.

Tennessee has 12 electoral votes and ordinarily all would have gone to Mr. Truman since he carried the state with a plurality of 67,488 popular votes.

However, Elector Preston Parks of Somerville cast his vote for Thurmond as he had said in advance he would. He and another Democratic elector in Tennessee were pledged to Thurmond but the other man changed his mind and voted for Truman.

Parks stuck to his stand that he would not vote for Mr. Truman under any circumstances. He was exercising his constitutional right to vote for whomever he pleased. This right has not been exercised often, however, as a party's slate of electors traditionally goes in full for the party's nominees .

There have been four previous occasions since 1900 when a state's electorial vote was split: in 1904 and 1908 in Maryland, in 1912 in California and in 1916 in West Virginia.

New agitation is expected in the new congress for changes in the Presidential voting system. Some propose direct election by popular vote (people now vote for electors) and some want a division of a state's electoral votes between candidates in proportion to their popular vote (now the top man in a state gets all its electoral votes, as a usual thing).

Lions Club Observes Silver Anniversary

(From the Daily)

Cameron Lions Club, organized 25 years ago, was to observe its Silver Anniversary to-night with a special program at which District Governor Arnold will speak.

The Cameron Club has been active through the years, has suspended and re-organized and survived. Its program during recent years has been impressive.

Friends of Mrs. Joe Michalka will regret to learn she is ill and in St. Edwards Hospital.

POPULAR MINISTER IS CALLED TO BAYTOWN

L. L. Morriss, Pastor First Baptist Church, has resigned to take up duties with First Baptist Church in Baytown.

His resignation was made Sunday to a disappointed congregation. It was understood that he will begin his work in Baytown after January 1.

Rev. Morriss has made a splendid record with the church here and as a result has attracted state wide attention as one of the young Baptist ministers forging rapidly ahead in state denominational circles.

The resignation came as a surprise to the church and to the entire community. The pastor said that the call to Baytown had been under prayerful consideration for some time and he felt he should accept the work in this enlarged field of service.

First Baptist church here has made great progress, growth reflected in various activities, in the budget and increased membership. Rev. Morriss, an impressive pulpit orator, has filled many evangelical engagements in Texas since coming to Cameron.

Rev. Morriss is a war veteran, serving as a Chaplain in the famous U. S. Third Army in Europe. The people of Cameron will regret to know of his decision to leave the local church but with him will go the best wishes of all.

Dr. Pepper Truck Destroyed By Fire

A truck operated in the service of the Dr. Pepper Company was destroyed by fire at 3 p. m. Sunday.

The truck was parked at the Will Houston residence by Jim Barrett who works for Dr. Pepper Company.

Mr. Barrett was visiting in the Houston home and parked the truck in the street. The fire is said to have originated in the cab and the machine was a complete loss within a few minutes. Firemen although prompt as usual were unable to save the truck.

Mrs. Alice Mitchell of Cameron spent the past week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mitchell of Navasota.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Barkemeyer of Buckholts are the proud parents of a daughter born at St. Edwards Hospital December 13, 1948. The baby weighed nine pounds and one ounce and has been named, Norma Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McFarland and Mrs. Minnie McFarland visited in Bryan Sunday.

Joe N. Luce of San Angelo was in Cameron a few days last week and attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Susan Delahunty.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Canady attended a school meeting in Waco for the week end and also visited their daughter, Miss Carol Canady who is a student at Baylor University.

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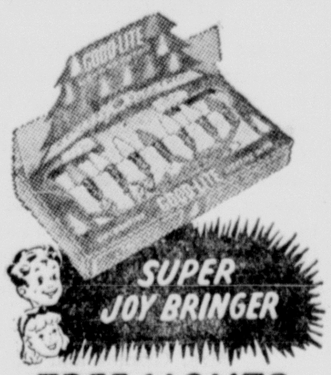

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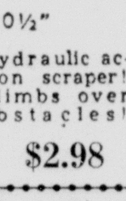

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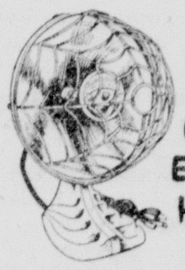

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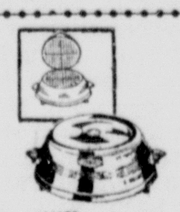

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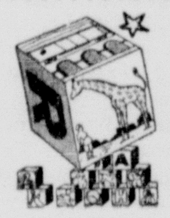

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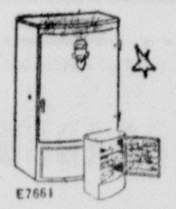

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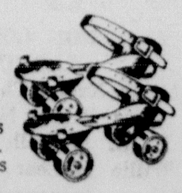

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WILL BUY bowl and pitcher, flower design, also old style parlor lamp with flowered shade. Am interested in old style flowered dishes, bowls and pitchers. I do not resell. Write J. B. White, Cameron, Texas. tf

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This is to give notice that my farm lands located 3 miles east of Maysfield and adjoining the Mrs. J. P. Hefti lands have been posted according to law against hutning, wood cutting and all manner of tresspassing. Anyone violating any of the provisions of the posted laws will be prosecuted.

HENRY HEFTI

34-4tp

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Visit our new sewing center. Order your favorite machine now. Let us repair your old machine. We make custom made Belts, Buckles, buttons, etc.

Enroll now for an advanced course in dress making and slip covers. Get ready now for Spring sewing.

Singer Sewing Machine Co. 514, N. 3rd. Temple, Texas. Phone 2705. 39-tf

FOR SALE—Geraniums, Bougainvillea, Hibiscus, Begonias, African Violets and rutted cuttings and blooming plants. Mrs. J. L. Foster. 30-6tc

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MRS. J. P. HEFTI

34-4tp

FOR SALE

School building known as the old Pleasant Grove Negro School Building. Sealed bids. Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. File bids with the County Superintendent before 11 a. m., Saturday, December 18.

Trustees of Jones Prairie School District

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Willie Riley Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Milam County at the Court House thereof, in Cameron, Texas at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 10th day of January A. D. 1949, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 23rd day of November A. D. 1948, in this cause, numbered 13047 on the docket of said court and styled Mable Riley, Plaintiff, vs. Willie Riley, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit;

For divorce upon the grounds of three years permanent abandonment, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

(SEAL)

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Cameron, Texas, this the 23rd day of November A. D. 1948.

Attest:

GRADY ALLEN, Clerk,
District Court, Milam County, Texas

33-4tc

FOR — General carpenter repairs, painting, papering and textoning, reliable workmanship, phone Rural 9001-F3, or address Rural Route 1, Box 212. 36-1tp

ANY MAKE RADIO repaired. Call 104. PARMA RADIO SERVICE.

FUNERAL SERVICES—

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Nancy, an action in which he lost his life.

Major Gillis at the time of his death was involved with his Battalion on vital military operations on the Moselle River where his acts of heroism brought a decoration from King George of England, the citation signed by the King now in possession of his mother, Mrs. Lula C. Gillis of Cameron.

Major Gillis was wounded in the battle for the Capture of St. Lo in France in the early stages of the Third Army's great drive that led to the capture of Paris and the bottling up of the German army. He also received posthumously the Distinguished Service Cross, second highest American Military Decoration.

A graduate of West Point Military Academy he was assigned to duty in the summer of 1942 and progressed rapidly on the command staff after his arrival overseas.

BANK SCUTTLE—

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dent of the bank, announced that the deposits of his bank are being taken over by the First National Bank of Franklin.

The First State Bank is closing its doors.

Weeks said the FBI had several men in the Franklin area investigating whether the FBI has jurisdiction in the case.

"Both Franklin banks are open," Crane said, 'and both will remain open until the merger is completed."

Crane said, "A step of this kind had been considered for the past two years and was caused at this time by an unfortunate investment by the First State Bank."

He said the action of the First State Bank in making the investment followed a recommendation from a financial institution in the lower South Texas section.

It was reported at Marlin that the worthless checks had been drawn on a bank in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

At Austin, State Banking Commissioner J. M. Falkner declined to comment.

MARAK—

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getting roads, but feels the people at Marak have little to look forward to unless something is done at once.

The Marak community is one of the best farming sections in the state. It is made up of home owners. They need a road to Cameron and to the highway south at Ad Hall. They need bridges and an outlet to Yarrellton and to Buckholts.

Father Holub pointed out that the people of Marak trade in Cameron. They spend their money here but the roads are so bad and so neglected they cannot go on much longer.

He said that the only solution is to build a co-operative store and merchandise center and that is exactly what they are going to do if they cannot get roads. The good people of Marak cannot be blamed for feeling as they do, nor could anyone blame them for building a store, if Cameron takes no more interest in their road condition than they have in the past few years. It would be a heavy blow to Cameron if the trade of that community were lost for they not only spend all their trade money here thay do their banking business in Cameron.

Father Holub was very plain to say the people want to come to Cameron but if they can't get here they must build their own store.

The Parish has made great progress under Father Holub and the new Church is evidence of his fine leadership and management of the affairs of the church, one of the historic landmarks in the county.

Methodist Here Are Planning Offering For Childrens Home

Cameron Methodists are beginning to think of their annual Christmas offering to the Methodist Home. This is always a joyous occasion for the Methodists of Texas.

The Methodist Home is located at Waco, and is one of the fine institutions of which the church is justifiably proud. More than 400 boys and girls live in the home.

Every Sunday until Christmas, the children are featured in a radio broadcast over stations, KPRC, KTBC and WBAP, at 4 p. m.

Oxsheer Smith has been named chairman of the local church committee for the Christmas offering this year.

28 DEGREES HERE AT 8 O'CLOCK FRIDAY

Below freezing temperatures were recorded in Cameron Friday morning according to L. W. Smith, local weather observer.

Mr. Smith said that the temperature was 28 degrees at 8 a. m. Friday.

The weather forecast for the Cameron area is for warmer Friday and Saturday and cloudy weather.

There is some prospect for rain but remote. The drouth extending over many months has created a serious situation in the farm areas not only in Milam county but over nearly every section of the state.

COLDER WEATHER DUE IN CENTRAL TEXAS

Rain is forecast for Wednesday if the present weather chart is a correct indication of what may happen when a cold front, followed closely by a second wave, hits central Texas by Wednesday.

Showers fell in Cameron and Milam county Tuesday morning and clouds hung low as winds kept up from the south bringing in moisture.

Much depends on how the cold fronts act up when they strike. In the meantime the weather is going to be warm and humid. Look for above 70 degree temperatures Tuesday and perhaps a part of Wednesday.

The colder weather was not due in this area before late Tuesday or early Wednesday and there was nothing certain about anything.

Rain is the most needed development in Texas. Business and Christmas fade into the background of cherised things as Texas stood drouth stricken and the most alarming conditions in more than 20 years faced farmers and stockmen.

CARD OF THANKS

There is no possible way to thank each and every person, so I'll take this opportunity to thank all. Because of my stubborn pride and loss of faith in beings, I had tried to conceal my misfortune and circumstances, but it's a wonderful feeling to know that the entire human race has not lost feeling for their fellow man's welfare. May a great reward await each contributor.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Grimes and Children.

Security Claimants Lose Money; Do Not File Claims In Time

More than 10 per cent of those filing social security claims in the Austin area during a recent 4-week period lost money because they didn't file soon enough, James B. Marley, manager of the social security office in Austin, said today.

The amount lost and the number of claimants involved in the losses were not large. But when more than one out of every 10 claimants who do file claim are losing benefits, it indicates that some are not filling their claims at all. It is not necessary to be in need to get this monthly social security income. Yet, many who do not file prompt claims are either depending on relatives or using up slender resources before they file their claims.

Cameron Boy Singers Will Get Audition In Waco Sunday

Six members of the Cameron Boys Choir have been selected to go to Waco Sunday, December 19 for an audition by the famous director of the Apollo boys choir. Coleman Cooper and his choir will be in Waco on the above date for an engagement.

The boys were selected by Mrs. Guy Chandler, Jr., director of the Cameron Boys Choir, assisted by several girls from Francis Coxs' Girls Chorus.

Boys selected were: Tom Collins, Kenneth Stufflebeme, Dickie Denson, Jimmy Markham, Dick Jenness and Roger Shuemate.

Other members of the choir will attend the performance on the above date in Waco.

19 Pupils Attain Honor Roll Standard At St. Anthony School

Nineteen pupils have attained the standard required for placement on the honor roll at St. Anthony School for the second term. To make the honor roll a student must average 90%, or above in his subjects and at least 95 in conduct.

Seventh grade: Robert Balhorn, Henrietta Slavik, Frances Trochta, Patricia Michalka and Lynn Lewis.

Sixth Grade: Joyce Hertenberger, Rudolphine Hoelscher, Ethel Mae Jistel, Eunice Kleiber, Antonio Kunchick, Frances Ann Michalka, Thresa Wohleb.

Fifth grade: Janis Ann Jistel, third grade: Marie Mueck and Leon Terry and second grade: Albert Hoelscher, Dorothy Mayer, Raymond Tepera and Roger Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ridout and son spent the week end at Floresville and attended a reunion of the Ridout family. There were eleven present for the reunion and they attended the game between Floresville and Del Rio Friday night. This is the first reunion of the Ridout family since 1936.

There are not nearly so many complaints about the weather as there would be if the government regulated it.

GEO. FELSINGER DIED HERE LATE THURSDAY

George Felsinger, about 80, died in Newton Memorial Hospital late Thursday, December 9.

Mr. Felsinger had been ill for several days and had been taken to the hospital for treatment. He had been a resident of Cameron for the past 35 years, having come here to live in 1913.

Early in life he lost a leg and got about on crutches.

Funeral arrangements were pending the arrival here of a niece, Miss Mary Felsinger of Kent, Ohio.

The body of the aged man is at the Green Funeral Home in Cameron and the funeral was tentatively set for Monday, December 13.

Pythian Home Manager Is Cameron Visitor

Hugo Horstmann, former resident of Buckholts, and now manager of the Texas Pythian Home at Weatherford, was in Cameron Monday to visit with friends and to see M. G. Cox, who is a member of the Board of Trustees.

Mr. Horstmann recently suffered an accident in which his left leg was badly broken in a fall.

His work at the home has been most satisfactory and great progress has been made.

Printing is a home industry.

BACKACHE

For quick comforting help for Backache, Rheumatic Pains, Getting Up Nights, strong cloudy urine, irritating passages, Leg Pains, circles under eyes, and swollen ankles, due to non-organic and non-systemic Kidney and Bladder troubles, try Cystex. Quick, complete satisfaction or money back guaranteed. Ask your druggist for Cystex today.

Yarrellton News

Bro. Wyle Glass and wife missionaries from China made a very interesting lecture at the church Sunday night which was enjoyed by every one.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blansett of Goose Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Blansett of Baytown were at G .W. Blansetts Sunday. They visited Mrs. W. G. Lock in King Daughters Hospital in Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pagel were hosts to a house warming by a large group of relatives and friends Sunday afternoon in their new modern home just completed on the new highway near Yarrellton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Russell and son Chas. Ray were visiting his parents this week. On Monday night they were guests in the J. H. Richerson home near Rosebud.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gallatin and Patsy and Shirley Soloman and Bro. Harrol McGill were Sunday visitors in the C. E. Russell home.

Sam Hohenstein transacted business in San Antonio Monday of this week.

The wise man buys two lawn mowers—one for his home and one for the neighbors.

SPECIALS

Machine Permanent

$2.50 up.

Cold Wave

$5.00 up

Special prices on all other permanents

BERNICE'S BEAUTY SHOP

MATULA BEAUTY SHOP

SECOND ANNUAL

CHRISTMAS CANTATA

"Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem"

By CAMERON COMMUNITY CHOIR

Sunday, December 19, 1948

At 5 p. m. First Methodist Church

L. Van Perkins

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Years of experience with the Internal Revenue Department.

$25.00 REWARD

Edwin Hardy Post No. 9 American Legion will pay a reward of $25.00 for the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons who break into our Hut in Wilson-Ledbetter Park or who damage our property in the park.

Full Speed Ahead

The American business picture is bright so it is full speed ahead with safeguards on the economy.

Business is going to be good. There is buying power . . . billions of dollars, waiting for merchandise.

The merchant who looks ahead, who follows a consistent selling policy led by good advertising well placed, will leave his competitors behind.

This is a day when people read and shop. Remember, merchandise is far more important than the price.

LOOK UP . . . NOT DOWN

The Herald

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CAMERON LODGE No. 56
I. O. O. F.
Meets Every Thursday Night
Jess Brock, Noble Grand
H. B. McClellen, Secretary.
Willie McLean, Secretary.

CAMERON REBEKAH LODGE
No. 46
Meets First and Third Tuesday Nights
Nettie Storey, Noble Grand

GILLIS—
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had broken through the German lines and relieved the valiant Battalion of the 30th Division." During the battle Major Gillis was moving among the forward elements, exposing himself to the dangers his men were so familiar with. "But that is not the end of Bill's first big battle," says Col. Solomon. "After V-E Day certain members of the German General Staff stated that the war was lost when the counter attack at Mortain failed."

For this exceptional exploit Major Gillis and his Battalion received the Distinguished Unit Citation and for Bill there was a Silver Star, his first of many decorations. The citation reads in part: "Throughout this action, Major Gillis, although himself wounded in the hand, accompanied leading elements of his battalion and inspired the troops under his command by his skillful leadership, tenacity of purpose, courage, coolness, positive action and utter disregard for personal safety."

"But being a leader was nothing new for Bill Gillis. From the time he was born in Cameron, Texas, on October 7, 1917, to Judge and Mrs. Graham Gillis, until he was mortally wounded in action in the Foret de Gremecy, France, on September 30, 1944, he was out in front."

Colonel Solomon here relates a bit of personal appraisal of Gillis from the days of his high school football in Cameron to the time he reported at West Point. He was a good student at the Academy and left an athletic record that rates a column in the current tribute to him. He was Captain of the Army football team in 1940, continuing his athletics from Schreiner Institute at Kerville from where he was accepted as a Cadet at West Point. He set a new record in the Academy in high and low hurdles and one of these records still stands.

Following his graduation Major Gillis returned to Texas and married Miss Lenore Wiley of Junction who was then Secretary to Governor Coke Stevenson. Their only child a daughter, Georgia Ann, now 5, was born at Camp Rucker in Alabama in 1943.

When he graduated from West Point in 1941 Major Gillis went to Fort Benning, later to Fort Sam Houston and then to Camp Roberts in California an infantry training center. Colonel Solomon turns up a bit of noteworthy praise by an enlisted man who said: "Lieut. Gillis was the soldier and gentleman that I aspired to be like while in training at Camp Roberts. He was truly the finest soldier I have ever known and along with it a prince and a gentleman. I only wish I might have gone with him into battle. We who knew him will never forget his familiar tall figure marching at the head of the company—the friend and the ideal of every man in the column."

Shortly after he reached the European theatre he was made Assistant G-3 of the Division Staff, his qualities having come to the attention of the Division Commander. He never liked this. He wanted to be in the field with men fighting.

"With the German thrust safely turned," says Colonel Solomon, "Bill led his Battalion throughout the remainder of August as the 35th Division spearheaded General Patton's Third Army sweep through central France.

Within 45 days Major Gillis found himself in mid-September facing the German stand on the Rhine-Marne Canal and was a veteran Commander. It was here that he received the Distinguished Service Cross for heroic action in crossing the Canal and the Sanon river. The citation recites that Major Gillis in the face of heavy enemy fire was regularly present with the leading elements of his troops, moving freely among them to direct the attack. Disregarding his own safety he waded and swam across the river and canal several times under heavy fire. Under his example of heroism and leadership the crossing was forced under hazardous battle conditions.

On the morning of September 30, 1944 the Germans launched a heavy counter attack. Major Gillis sensing the extent of the enemy's operations went to the front line positions to look after his men. He knew they would expect to see him. It was there among his fighting men that he was mortally wounded, hit by a tree burst from an enemy mortar shell.

Promotion to Lieut. Colonel was on the desk of General Baade at the time of the death of Major Gillis. The third citation was for the Bronze Star medal in connection with military evenths through September 27, 28 and 29.

In addition to his Distinguished Service Cross, Silver Star, Bronze Star Medal and Purple Heart, Major Gillis was awarded the Distinguished Service Order by the British Government, the Croix de Guerre with Silver Gilt Star and the Croix de Guerre with Vermillion Star by a grateful France.

Mrs. F. F. Reid, of Dallas who has been making her home with her son Phillip Reid and family during the summer, has arrived to spend the winter here with her son, Frank Reid and family. Mrs. Reid has many friends here, who are pleased to welcome her return to Cameron.

Friends will regret to learn Walter Jerry is ill and in the Newton Memorial Hospital.

Many a flaming heart is disclosed by the flicker of an eyelash.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Janicek of Rogers were visitors in Cameron Tuesday. Mrs. Janicek is the former Albina Tomasek.

The wild boar of India attacks without provocation—as does the tame bore of America.

The private life and loves of Broadway's brightest star!

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THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
DECEMBER 30 and 31

A New Saga of Adventure Is Born!
Mary O'Hara's GREEN GRASS OF WYOMING TECHNICOLOR
Starring
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CHARLES COBURN
ROBERT ARTHUR
Directed by LOUIS KING
Produced by ROBERT BASSLER
20th CENTURY-FOX

MILAM THEATRE
Tuesday and Wednesday
December 21 and 22

DANNY'S LATEST IS HIS GREATEST!
Samuel Goldwyn PRESENTS
DANNY KAYE
VIRGINIA MAYO in "A Song Is Born"
COLOR BY TECHNICOLOR
Directed by HOWARD HAWKS
Released by RKO RADIO PICTURES, Inc.

THE CAMERON THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY
December 26 and 27

THE WORLD IS FULL OF CARMENS.
They may not know it except in their most secret day dreams.
COLUMBIA PICTURES presents
Rita HAYWORTH · Glenn FORD
The Loves of Carmen
with
Ron RANDELL · Victor JORY · Luther ADLER
Arnold Moss · Joseph Buloff · Margaret Wycherly
Screenplay by Helen Deutsch
Based upon the story of "Carmen" by Prosper Mérimée
Directed and Produced by CHARLES VIDOR
COLOR BY TECHNICOLOR
NOT THE OPERA

THE CAMERON THEATRE
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, DECEMBER 19 and 20

THE CLIMAX TO ADVENTURE IN THE GREAT NEW WEST!
Mary O'Hara's GREEN GRASS OF WYOMING
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THE MILAM THEATRE
TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21 and 22

Dick POWELL Jane GREER in Station West
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THE CAMERON THEATRE
DECEMBER 23 and 24

RIVER LADY
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... Gambling Mistress Of The Untamed Mississippi!
UNIVERSAL INTERNATIONAL presents
Yvonne DeCARLO
Dan DURYEA
Rod CAMERON
Helena CARTER
"RIVER LADY"
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From the Novel by HOUSTON BRANCH and FRANK WATERS
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THE ENTERPRISE STUDIOS present
FOUR FACES WEST
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THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
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CAMERON THEATRE
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
December 16 and 17

The greatest entertainment of our time!
THE BABE RUTH STORY
An Allied Artists Production
WILLIAM BENDIX · CLAIRE TREVOR · CHARLES BICKFORD
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THE CAMERON THEATRE
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18
"CANON CITY"
Scott Brady and Charles Russell
—C—
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, DECEMBER 19 and 20
"THE LOVES OF CARMEN"
Rita Hayworth and Glen Ford
—C—
TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21 and 22
"TARZANS NEW YORK ADVENTURE"
Johnny Weismuller
—C—
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23 and 24
"STATION WEST"
Dick Powell and Jane Greer
—C—
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25
"MICKEY"
Irene Hervey and Bill Goodwin

MilamTheatre

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17 and 18
"FRONTIER AGENT"
Johnny Mack Brown
—M—
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, DECEMBER 19 and 20
"FOUR FACES WEST"
Joel McCrea and Francis Dee
—M—
TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21 and 22
"GREEN GRASS OF WYOMING"
Peggy Cummins and Charles Colburn
—M—
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23
"PORT SAID"
Gloria Henry and William Bishop

COAST GUARD ACADEMY EXAMS AUTHORIZED

Congressman Poage of the 11th Texas District announced today that the nationwide competitive examination for entrance to the U. S. Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn., will be held on February 23-24, 1949.

The number of candidates selected each year depends upon the needs of the Service and, therefore, a candidate to gain admittance to the Academy must not only pass the examination but must pass high enough so as to be assured of selection for appointment.

"Graduates of the Coast Guard Academy 4-year course," he said, "receive a commission as ensign in the United States Coast Guard and a Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering."

Congressman Poage pointed out that "there are no quotas limiting the number of candidates that come from any single area. I urge all interested young men to write directly to Coast Guard Headquarters as soon as possible, since the necessary papers must be completed by January 15, 1949. the next examination will be held on February 23-24, 1949.

"Young men who take the examination must be between the ages of 17 and 22, American citizens in excellent physical condition, and must show proof of their good moral character and standing in the community," the Congressman said.

"Minimum educational requirement is a high school diploma, although high school seniors who will complete their course at the end of the year are eligible to take the competitive examination, if they will have the necessary credits upon graduation. These credits include Mathematics, English, Physics, and other standard high school subjects."

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Generous Response To Plight for Family Bright Spot of Week

The bright spot of the week for life in the community was the instant response of the good people here to the appeal made in behalf of a mother and 4 children.

H. C. Leonard at the Humble Station on North Fannin Avenue, requested The Daily Herald to make an appeal. He said Saturday morning that the little family is being taken care of and that people have been most generous.

The mother who was faced with eviction and no food for her babies was overcome and said "The people in Cameron are just about the most wonderful in the world," smiling through her tears.

There have been cash donations and some have donated foods and clothing as well as household goods.

Notably among the gifts have come from the Leader Department Store in Cameron where Mr. Fabricant gave some $50 to $60 worth of good new merchandise, shoes for the children, socks, sleepers, overalls, underwear and many other important items.

Henry Lippman at the Lippman Dress Shop is furnishing the little baby with milk.

Yes, faith in our kind is rekindled because there are so many good people in our town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Greenless are the parents of a son born at St. Edwards Hospital December 12, 1948. The baby weighed 10 pounds and two ounces and has been named Hubert Reagen. The mother is the former Mary Virginia Fuller.

Court House News

Marriages

Martin Mendosa and Marie Reyno.

James Lane McGoldrick and Mable Helen Rutherford.

Felix M. Orta and Greyares Yanes.

Charles J. Maddox and Mary Jo Fikes.

Deeds

R. T. Curlee et ux, to J. P. Horton, lots Nos. 5 and 6 in block in the Hamilton & Rasberry addition to City of Rockdale $7,000.

J. P. Horton et ux, to Elwood Seelke et ux, lot 4 and the East portion of lot 3 in block No. 22 and a small portion South end of No. 44 of the Ackerman-Smith and Green addition in the City of Rockdale, and a small portion of Hicks addition to City of Rockdale $6,000.

J. R. Alexander et ux, to Mayme King Forwood, 40 acres of the G. Gilland Headright survey, $10 and other valuable considerations.

William F. Ezzell et ux, to W. H. Ezzell et ux, lots Nos. 13 and 14 in block No. 28 in town of Buckholts $1,000.

M. A. Howe et ux, to W. R. Byrns, Sr. et ux, South half of the Southwest quarter of block No. 3 of the Chas. Michalk addition to City of Thorndale $10.

H. Gillis Graham et ux, to Joe Gerick, Jr. lots Nos. 7-8-9 and 10 in block No. 8 of the A. N. Green addition to City of Cameron $6,500.

Joe Zalesky et ux, to John Trdy et ux, part of block B in the Barton addition to town of Cameron, $10 and other sufficient considerations.

O. R. Looney et al, to V. L. Angell, 177-6 acres of the Jacob Gross survey $7,750.

Oil and Gas Leases

E. J. (Dewey) Tom et al, to Danciger Oil & Refining Company, 210 acres of the Chas. Tom survey $10.

Helen Dunn et al, to Danciger Oil and Refining Company, 105 acres of the Chas. Tom survey $10.

Edwin E. Kiesling et ux, to G. A. Wilson, 179 1-2 acres of the Justo J. Liendo four league grant, $1.00.

N. A. Mason et ux, to John C. Lang, 447 acres of the M. Davilla grant $10.

New Cars

C. K. Hendricks, Chevrolet 1 1-2 Ton Truck.

James McKeown, Buick Sedan.

Eugene R. Janicek, Houdson 4-door Sedan.

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Phillips & Luckey, Ford Panel.

Gaylon McCoy, Plymouth 4-door Sedan.

Archie R. McLerran, Chevrolet Town Sedan.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Plentl announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Bennie Bailey, to Bill Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Morris of Temple, Texas.

The marriage ceremony will take place, December 18, 1948. After a wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Temple.

Joe Luce made a business trip to Houston Monday of the past week.

Rain Falling Over All Texas Sections

Rain was falling in nearly every section of Texas Tuesday morning ranging from less that a quarter inch to 2 inches in some portions.

Heavy rains had fallen in north Central Texas, as much as 2 inches. Dallas reported an inch and a quarter. The rainfall was lightest in the Rio Grande Valley and in the Panhandle.

While nothing like adeqaute was reported the fall was general over the state. Central Texas might well get the heaviest downpour since it seemed to be the center of the moisture blanket.

There will be no cold weather for 36 hours it was said at noon. Cameron had received two heavy showers in the forenoon.

Steve Salach is ill and a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

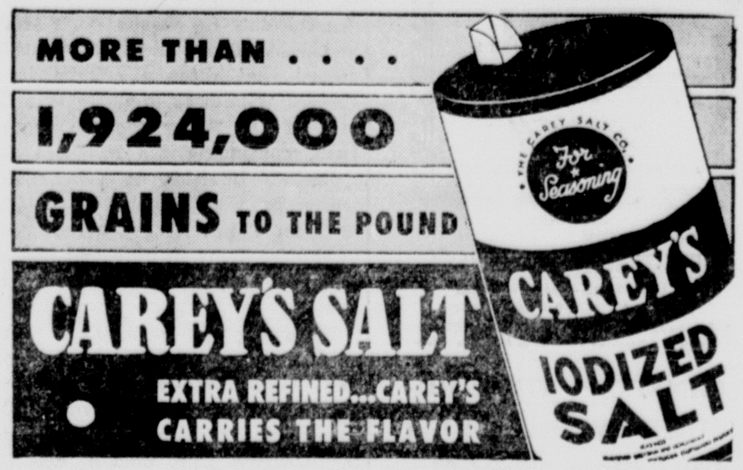
FORMER RESIDENT HERE DIED IN LOUISIANA

Mrs. Louise Novac, 23, died at her home in Sweetwater, Louisiana Monday, December 8, following a short illness.

Mrs. Novac will be remembered here as Miss Louise Templin, daughter of Emil Templin and the late Mrs. Templin. The Templins for many years made their home at Ben Arnold before moving to Coleman.

Funeral services were held at Coleman Wednesday and burial made in Coleman cemetery. She is survived by her husband, 2 children, father, and borthers and sisters.

Friends will regret to learn James R. Gregory is ill and in Newton Memorial Hospital. He is owner and operator of the Cameron Upholstery Shop in Cameron.



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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

The Missus "Ducks" Out

Slim Hartman took his missus duck hunting the other day. And after five hours of sitting in a swamp, she'd had enough! Going home, Slim reminded her good-naturedly of the time she'd taken him to a woman novelist's lecture, and insisted that he sit it out.

So now the missus and Slim have an understanding. No more duck hunting for her—no more lectures for him. They decided *each to his own taste.*

It's because they *can* agree to disagree like that, I think, that Slim and the missus get on so well—content to stay home nights together, enjoying one another's company over a glass of beer and a game of chess.

From where I sit, we can't all enjoy the same things—but we can share those little pleasures that we do enjoy—a glass of beer, a game of chess, some music on the radio—and live-and-let-live when it comes to the others.

Joe Marsh

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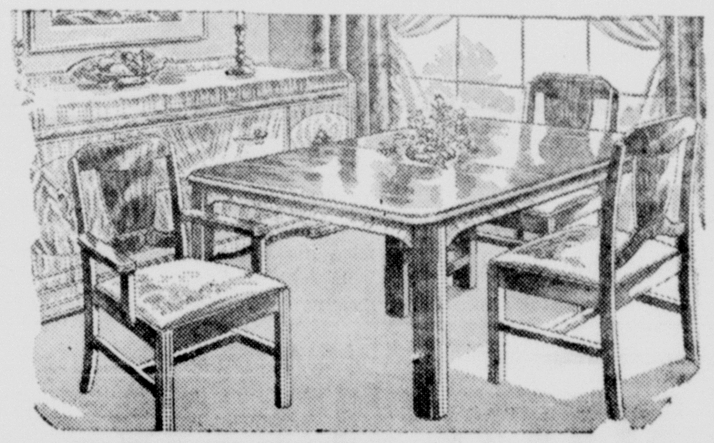

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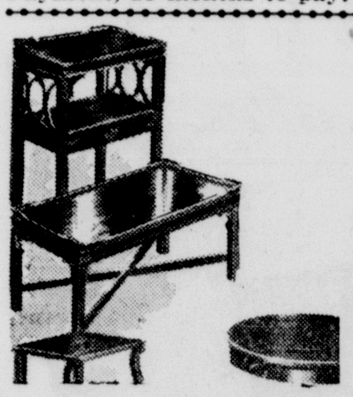

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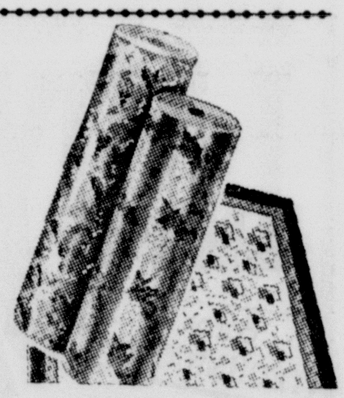

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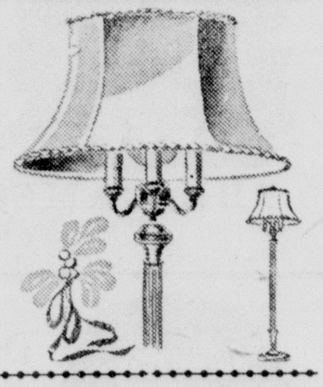

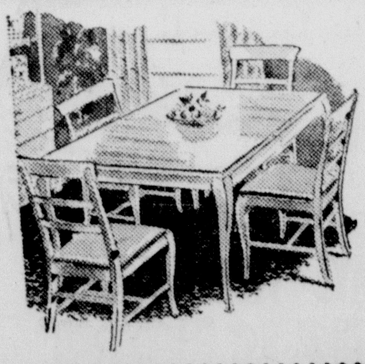

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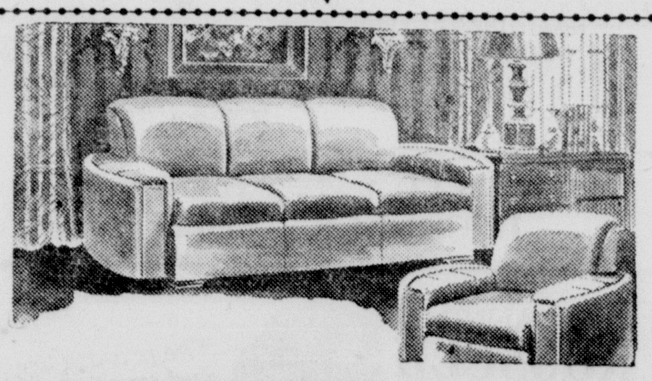

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Reverend Elza Love, pastor of the Methodist church in Caldwell, will be guest preacher at the vesper service at 5:00. Rev. Love is not a stranger to the Methodist Church goers, as he was guest preacher here the first Sunday in August.

inmates at the County Home. Mrs. Lawrence and the children visited with them and told the story of the first harvest to their guests.

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Milano FFA Team Wins Tournament

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Milano won first place, Snook second and Thorndale won the consolation.

Silver basketballs were: Carol Wise and James Pratt of Milano, Marek and Novosod of Snook and Gene Graham of Thorndale.

The Best Sportsmanship Trophy was won by Gene Graham of Thorndale.

BUD WILLIAMS,
Chapter Reporter.

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FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. SUSAN DELAHUNTY

Mrs. Susan Frances Delahunty, 90, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Hightower at Walkers Creek, at 1 a. m. Tuesday, December 7.

Mrs. Delahunty was a native Texan born in Anderson County, near Palestine on September 19, 1858, the daughter of the late pioneers Virginia Middleton Luce and Joseph Nathaniel Luce. She was married to Patrick Martin Delahunty on September 5, 1881 at Hearne and shortly after their marriage they settled in the Walkers Creek Community in Milam county.

At that time Walkers Creek was one of the more populous centers in the county and they engaged in farming and reared their family of children, two sons and two daughters. Mrs. Delahunty had been a resident of the Walkers Creek Community for the past 66 years.

Mr. Delahunty died in 1928.

Funeral services were held at the Walkers Creek Baptist Church Wednesday, December 8 by Rev. Odell Jamison of Dallas and interment was made in the Walkers Creek cemetery with the Green Funeral Home directing arrangements.

Surviving are two sons Roger Delahunty of Walkers Creek and John Delahunty of San Aneglo; two daughters, Mrs. Roy Hightower of Walkers Creek and Mrs. John Hause of Cameron.

One brother and one sister survive as follows: Joe N. Luce of San Angelo and Mrs. John Small of Cameron. Six grand children and seven great grand children also survive.

Mrs. Mabel Zelner formerly of Cameron and now lives in Los Angeles, California and Charles F. Lyle of Los Angeles were married November 10, 1948. Mrs. Lyle is with the Lockhead air craft corporation at Burbank.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Joseph Sutter of Lockhart are the proud parents of a daughter, Margaret Ann born at St. Edwards Hospital December 8, 1948. The baby weighed seven pounds.

R. L. Groppel of Rogers was a business visitor in Cameron Friday.

Miss Georgia Gillis is spending a few days in Cameron with her grandmother, Mrs. W. G. Gillis. They visited in Waco Monday and Tuesday of the past week.

Most any business man can handle a big deal, but it takes an executive to dispose of the little deals.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Yes Sir, Insomnia's Contagious!

When Bud Swanson had trouble sleeping nights, and tried to get over it by turning up the radio full blast, he started an epidemic of insomnia all down the block!

Folks finally dropped a hint to Bud that he close the windows or turn the radio a little lower. Bud did—and that was the quickest cure for *other* folks' insomnia I've ever heard of!

Not that any of us object to the radio, or swing bands, or anything else that helps another person relax of an evening. (Myself, I like a glass of beer with a bit of cheese before I go to bed. I can't speak for *you.*)

From where I sit, good neighborliness means nothing more than simply respecting the other person's tastes and rights—without forcing your own tastes or opinions down his throat. And that goes for Bud's radio, my glass of beer, or whatever temperate pleasure *you* happen to enjoy.

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1948 MAY BE DRIER THAN YEAR 1947

"Unless we have two inches of rain during the rest of December, 1948 will be the driest year on our records, Dr. J. R. Johnson, superintendent of the Blackland Agricultural Experiment station, said yesterday.

Dr. Johnson said that the driest year on the records of the experiment station was 1917 with a little over 21 inches of rain. So far this year the station has recorded 19 inches, he said.

He said that the small grain that received enough moisture during the fall to bring it up is now either dead or dying. Practically all of the sweet clover that came up is already dead, he said.

Dr. Johnson said that some of the small grain that did not receive enough moisture to germinate might still come up if it rains anytime soon. But even that grain will be so late that it will have a hard time coming through the winter if we have many hard freezes. Hardly any of the late oats could be expected to live through the winter, he said, but there might be some late barley and wheat that could pull through.

"Farmers in this section are already feeling low about the prospects for a corn crop next spring, because unless it rains within the next two months there will not be enough moisture in the soil to make a crop," he said.

If good rains come within the next two months, Dr. Johnson said, farmers in this section will probably plant a lot of spring oats. But if the rains hold off until March or April, he predicted, the farmers will probably plant one of the biggest acreages in cotton ever seen in this part of the country.

But, he said, even the cotton outlook is not too bright at present due to the absence of sub-soil moisture.

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SUICIDE VERDICT IN THORNDALE HANGING

Wesley Graham, age about 37 years and residing 3 1-2 miles east of Thorndale was found hanged in his garage and workshop at his home shortly after 8 a. m. on Wednesday morning of this week. The body was discovered by Mr. Graham's oldest son, Charles Graham, who immediately cut the rope from which the body was suspended from a rafter in the garage. Dr. C. D. Johnson assisted Judge E. C. Hoppe in holding an inquest and a verdict of suicide by hanging was returned by Justice Hoppe. It is thought that the unfortunate affair occured around 8 a. m. as Judge Hoppe and Dr. Johnson announced that the body was still warm upon examination.

Friends who talked with Mr. Graham Tuesday state that he apparently felt normal and did not appear depressed or worried over anything, however, he was involved in a wreck Tuesday night around 7 p. m., when his new Kaiser ran into a pick-up truck at the Humble Service Station, doing considerable damage to both cars involved.

Surviving the deceased besides his wife, are two sons and one daughter, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Graham and one sister, Mrs. W. C. Landrum.

Funeral arrangements had not been announced at the time this was written.—Thorndale Champion.

Children from the Methodist Home in Waco will be guests of the congregation of First Methodist Church Sunday Morning. One of the annual events in the local Methodist Church is a Christmas offering made towards the support of this fine institution, and plans have been made for this observance this year.

Lawrence Polzer Is Injured In Crash

Lawrence Polzer was injured at 8:15 Monday morning when the car in which he and brother Benard Polzer were riding figured in a crash with a pickup truck driven by Edwin Smith.

The accident occured at the intersection of Nolan Street on Highway 36 as Polzer was making a turn. Lawrence Polzer sustained a painful gash on the head and other minor injuries. Both machines were badly damaged.

9 Cameron Students Enroll At STSTC At San Marcos

SAN MARCOS — Nine students from Cameron are enrolled at Southwest Texas Teachers College.

The current enrollment of 1800 tops the highest registration figures in the history of the College.

Those Students from Cameron are: Elizabeth Ann Schmidt, Jack Beasley, Richard Bevike, Charlotte Childress, John B. Dodson, Joe Hawkins, Milton J. Jistel, Mrs. Eleanor J. Luckey, and William P. Sweet.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received from our kind friends and neighbors during our recent bereavement. We especially thank the Rev. Henry Beseda, Marek-Burns Funeral Home, S. P. J. S. T. Lodge, Ladies Aid Society and Glass The Florist.

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RAIN FORECAST WITH NEW COLD WAVE

A new cold wave is due to envelop Texas by Tuesday late it was forecast early Monday.

The new wave due to be felt in Texas Panhandle by Tuesday and may get into Central Texas by nightfall or early Wednesday morning.

Temperatures in the Montana and Dakota areas were 20 below zero as the change moved rapidly southward.

Texas had record high temperatures on Sunday. Cloudy skies were noted in all sections of the state with considerable moisture being swept in from the Gulf Saturday and Sunday. The winds had subsided. Cameron had a trace of rain early Monday.

Weathermen were more optimistic than usual Monday as they forecast possible rain for the state, long parched in the most severe drouth since 1917.

Temperatures would remain high through Monday and a part of Tuesday unless the cold wave picks up speed.

Emory Camp, III who sustained an eye injury Tuesday when struck by a rock thrown by another student near the school campus, will be taken to Temple Friday for further examination. He has been in Newton Memorial Hospital since the attack and has recovered partial sight. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Camp, II of Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clyde Willard of Rockdale are the parents of a son born at St. Edwards Hospital, December 9, 1948. The baby weighed seven pounds and 11 ounces and has been named, Dennis Ray.

Ernest and Louis Rinn of Rockdale attended the Cameron and New Braunfels game Friday night.

Small Logging Town Builds a Debt-Free War Memorial

DRAIN, ORE. — The memorial that "couldn't' ' be built" will be dedicated in this logging community of less than 1,000 inhabitants.

Everyone thought that this town would be lucky to eke out a statute. Instead it has built a war memorial that cost more than 100 thousand dollars, every cent paid.

Without taxation, borrowing or public funds, Drain and other small communities nearby have built one of the finest recreation centers in southwestern Oregon.

Materials alone cost 100 thousand dollars. Cost of the completed project would have been more without hundreds of hours of donated labor.

The "north Douglas county living war memorial" has a concrete tennis court, a baseball diamond with floodlighting and a $75,000 swimming pool and bath house.

"We decided we had to build the best," explained James Whipple, president of the war memorial committee. "When you surrender your life for your country you are giving the best you have. It would be an insult to build anything which wasn't the best possible."

Nucleus of the memorial fund came from wartime scrap metal and paper drives. They gave benefit shows. They begged, donated goods and held auctions. When Drain had to replace a condemned street bridge, the war memorial committee offered to do the work. The $700 they netted went into the fund.

To get cement for the swimming pool, the town set up a cowpoke's wagon and sold $1 "coupons." The coupons meant that the buyer had contributed a sack of cement. Grade school pupils sold 450 coupons in a single afternoon.

Falcons Chase Birds Which Harass Pilots in Iceland

REYKJAVIK, ICELAND. — A new job has been found for the Icelandic falcon, which has been idle since European kings and noblemen gave up hunting with falcons—a popular, though expensive, sport of the Middle Ages.

The British air ministry recently has produced five Icelandic falcons which will be trained to keep unwanted birds off British airfields. Flocks of birds near and on airfields are known to harass pilots when taking off or landing. Five falcons were flown to Prestwick in a British aircraft recently.

Scientists Manufacture New Chemical to Aid Heartbeat

RENSSELAER. N. Y. — Scientists here are making a chemical believed to be identical with one involved in transmitting nerve impulses to the heart.

Their man-made chemical is levoarterenol, obtained from the breakdown of the synthetic drug arterenol. It was isolated by Dr. Maurice L. Tainter, director, and Dr. Froilan Luduena and Benjamin Tullar of the Sterling-Winthrop Research institute.

Apparently Dr. Tainter said, the chemical is the same as sympathin E one of the natural go-between chemicals in the control of automatic nervous activities, such as the heartbeat, breathing, and blood pressure.

The man-made chemical is only one-fifth as toxic as adrenalin, a powerful heart stimulant. It is expected to be of great aid in research on human body functions, Dr. Tainter said.

Hit by Streamliner, Motorists Suffer Only Minor Bruises

KANKAKEE, ILL.—Two motorists were riding in a semi-trailer truck which was struck by a streamlined train traveling at 90 miles an hour—and lived to tell about it.

The lucky two, Theodore Martin and 14-year-old Rodney Smith, had started across a railroad crossing near here when they saw the Santa Fe Super Chief bearing down on them. It was too late to back up, too late to get across. The train smashed into the center of the trailer and started dragging the truck down the tracks.

But the cab, in which Martin and Smith were riding, caught on steel beams protecting the flasher lights at the crossing, and remained there while the streamliner demolished the trailer. Martin and Smith emerged with only minor cuts and bruises.

Switchman Loses Both Legs While Hurrying to Work

MOLINE, ILL. — Kenneth R Shields, 28-year-old switchman overslept and missed his bus to work.

Hurrying to the Rock Island lines yards, he decided to save time by catching a freight train, passing near his home. He slipped as he ran to grab it.

What Shields didn't know as he was carried to the hospital, where both legs were amputated, was that his boss had been trying to call him at home. He wanted to tell Shields not to report to work.

Baptist Deacons Are Elected By Church

J. R. Young has been elected Deacon at First Baptist Church to succeed J. C. Burk, who resigned because of ill health.

W. E. Kuehl has been re-elected to serve for a term of three years. J. Max Howard is chairman of the board and Francis Cox secretary. Other deacons are Grady Cooper, Dr. Gus Evans, F. J. Beckerman, William F. Arthur and Ray Burke.

Mrs. Woodrow Lowe has been named Church Librarian to succeed Mrs. Wells Smith, who is the newly elected W. M. U. President and succeeds Mrs. Don Slocomb.

Milton Jistel, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jistel spent Thanksgiving holidays with his parents. Milton is attending SSTC in San Marcos.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Garrett are the proud parents of an eight pound and four ounce daughter, born December 9, 1948, at Newton Memorial Hospital. The mother is the former Bessie Mae Sweet.

The worst March wind we ever saw was telling about his golf score.

E. C. Hoppe of Thorndale made a business trip to Cameron recently. He is justice of peace in Thorndale.

John Michna is ill and a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital.

Bill Alec Bonds is ill and is confined to his home.

Mrs. Maebelle Williams of Cameron is a patient at Newton Memorial Hospital and is improving nicely.

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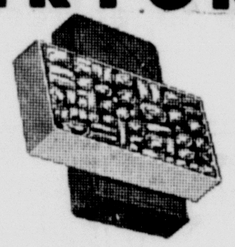

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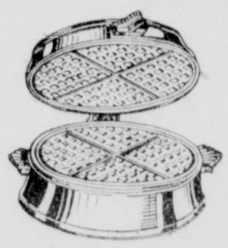

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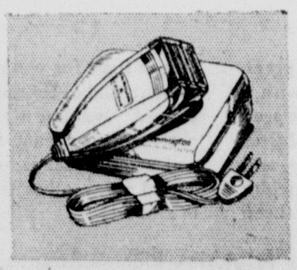
If you choose a Yello-Bole you choose the pipe of fine craftsmanship, for him this Xmas **$1 to 2.50**



'Speed-shaves' are in store for the man lucky enough to get the *Remington 5* Electric Shaver set **21.50**

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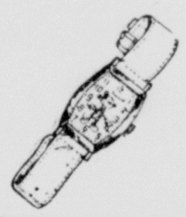
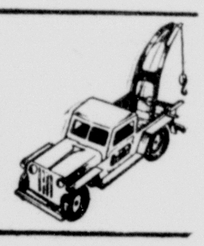
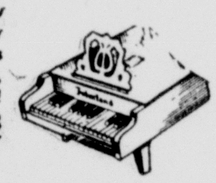
Real Wrist Watch with Mickey Mouse actually pointing to the correct time. A gift that will please any boy or girl immensely.. **6.95**





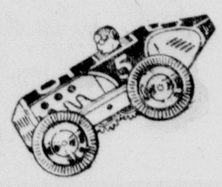
Everything works—on this Jeep Wrecker. It looks just like the real thing and has an operating boom and tackle too..... **2.39**



Melodies come easy when tiny tots play this toy Piano. It's chromatically tuned, plays sharps, flats! 11x8½-inches in rich red plastic **2.98**

A 'Different' Doll: that walks when set on an incline—She's "Twinkle/Toes", a 10" high doll with real curls and a smart gown **1.98**

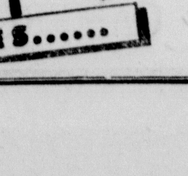
Just like Mothers—these plastic bags come in purse and shoulder styles that little girls adore . . a Xmas idea! **59¢ to 1.19**



Mechanical Racer of an all-metal construction has strong powerful springy windup motor with attached key—balloon wheels roll freely **39¢**

Maxton Books for children full of stories they want to hear over and over again. Four styles that are profusely illustrated **25¢**

Out of Fairylana A wee "animal"—soft and cuddly as can be. Furry plush, just a baby himself . . One to bring cries of joy from tots **1.98**



LOSSES HERE MAY BE OVER TEN THOUSAND

Nine fires in the past 10 days, one at Buckholts, have taken a toll of some $10,000 it was estimated here Saturday morning.

Not within the recent experience of the Firemen has the city had so many alarms. Frank Richter, Sr., veteran driver for the trucks said early Saturday the Firemen have been having a hard time since these alarms have been so frequent.

Volunteer firemen lose time from their jobs when alarms are sounded and they have done a fine job.

These fires are recorded as follows: M. G. Cox house occupied by the Marvin Pratt family, loss $3500.00 and household goods valued at more than $1000. L. F. Gohmert home loss about $100 and a wash house at the Dr. Shapiro residence about $100. The Mrs. Anna Kirk Home loss about $3000, a residence at Buckholts about $2000.00 and the Wright Price barn loss about $500.00.

Mr. Richter said that if the firemen had not reached Buckholts in time much more serious losses would have ensued.

Late Friday a Citizens National Bank sign on the Buckholts road was damaged to an extent said to be $50 or more.

Denson Kirk of Bentonville, Arkansas is speuding a few days in Cameron this week.

Unique Display Van For Navy Recruiting Due Here December 18

"The U. S. Navy Recruiting Service is touring this area with a display Van that is quite interesting and in order that as many people as can will see it we would appreciate it if this was given wide publicity.

"This Van has a cut-away model of a large Aircraft Carrier showing all the different compartments and gun emplacements. It also has a cut-away model of a 50 calibra machine gun that shows all the movements of the inside of the machine gun. There are many other items of interest in this Van that would please the public.

"This Van will be in Cameron on the 18th and will be located some spot in your city where it can receive electric power. This office would appreciate it if you could put a notice in your paper as to this appearance.

Sincerely yours,
R. C. BROADDUS, BTC, USN.

HURRY HURRY HURRY
Just around the corner
Jack and Jill
Rushed up the hill
To pass an old jalopy.
The headlines flash
"BIG AUTO CRASH!"
Home papers kindly copy.
—Berton Braley.

Mrs. W. E. Penny is a patient in Newton Memorial Hospital. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

CHILTON MEN HURT EARLY SATURDAY

Louie Hicks and Mally Jack Tull of Chilton in Falls county were severly injured and two cars were demolished at 4:15 a. m. Saturday morning 16 miles east of Milano on Highway 36 when their car towing another was overturned.

Patrolman Jack Gaines investigated the accident.

Hicks and Tull were on their way to Freeport with two 1948 cars when the accident occured. The cars belonged to Carter Hicks, a Marlin car dealer.

Hicks sustained severe bruises and cuts on the face and a badly sprained leg. Tull sustained a bad wound on the forehead and other injuries.

The accident occured when the car in which the men were riding went out of control.

Janice Simecek Is Home From Polio Hospital In Waco

Janice Simecek age 2, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Simecek who has been in Waco children's hospital with polio since November 1 is able to be home in Cameron.

She can now sit in chair by being helped and can use more of her limbs. She may now recover.

Baptist Training Union To Aid Most Needy Family Here

The Young People's Training Union at First Baptist Church desire to help in a small way the appeal made by this newspaper last week in assisting the mother and her four children mentioned.

Members of the Union will play Santa Claus to the four children and give them a toy shower to be held December 14. Each member will bring a toy, the boys bringing toys for the boys and girls bringing toys for the two girls.

Aleene Griswold is president of the Union, J. R. Young is Sponsor and Mary Fanning will asist other members in the plans. Others on the program include Vera Ruth Turner and Tommie Dell Jenness. A. D. Lagrone is Missionary leader, and this is one of the projects for December.

Joe Hefley of Baton Rouge, La., is in Cameron to spend a few days with relatives and friends in his old home town. Joe is employed by an oil company in Louisiana and has been located there for several years. He was born and reared in Cameron and in high school was an all time great in the backfield for the Yoemen.

We'd much rather listen to an echo than a gossip, because an echo repeats what you say.

AGED MAN BURNED TO DEATH IN HIS HOME

R. T. Bryant, aged 87 years residing 6 or 7 miles south of Thorndale was found burned to death in his home about 3 p. m. on Tuesday afternoon of this week. According to neighbors who first arrived on the scene the evidence gathered by Judge E. C. Hoppe, the fire that totally destroyed his home originated from a cook stove, probably started with kerosene shortly after his arrival home. Mr. Bryant was in Thorndale up until shortly afternoon on the fatal day and it is surmised that the fire was started shortly after his arrival home.

The body of Mr. Bryant was burned almost beyond recognition and was found near one of the doors where he evidently tried to escape, but was possibly overcome by smoke. Mr. Bryant resided alone and no one witnessed the fatal occurence.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday with Phillips and Luckey in charge of the arrangements and interment took place in the Conoley cemetery.—Thorndale Champion.

Mrs. Dan Lunsford Buys Cameron Ice Cream Company

Mrs. Dan Lunsford announced today that she had purchased the Cameron Ice Cream Company at 106 North Central Avenue and that the business will be closed Monday and Tuesday of next week for redecorations.

The Cameron Ice Cream Company has been owned and operated by W. C. Keith and the purchase announced by Mrs. Lunsford was effective December 8. Mrs. Lunsford owned and operates the Palace of Eats, a restaurant.

Mrs. Mary Lawrences' section of the First grade filled a harvest basket with candy, fruit and nuts and other good things during the Thanksgiving holidays and carried it to the

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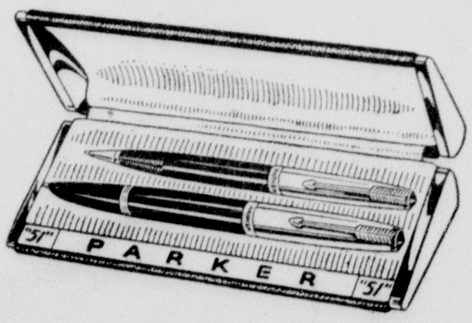

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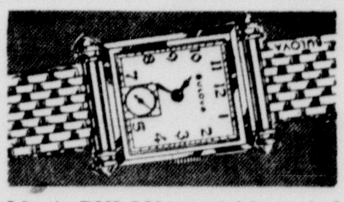

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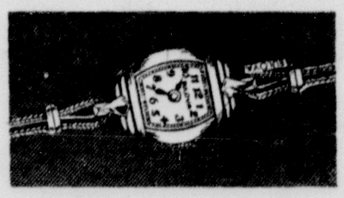

Lady's BULOVA . . . modern beauty in every trim line . . . 17-jewels. $33.75

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Man's impressive diamond in massive setting of 14k yellow gold. $100.00

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SUPREME COURT WILL OPEN NEW QUESTION

(From the Daily)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—The Supreme Court decided today to go into a question of international import: Whether it has power to interfere with an Allied tribunal which sentenced seven Japanese leaders to hang as war criminals.

The vote to entertain arguments in the case was five to four. Justice Jackson, who was the chief prosecutor at the first war crimes trial in Germany, cast the deciding vote.

He did so although he said the decision is "bound to embarass the United States." This is because president Truman, as Commander-in-Chief, invited this country's Pacific allies to take part in the Japanese war crimes tribunal.

Hearings were set for Dec. 16. Directly involved in the case are Gen. Kenji Doihara, 64, and former Premier Koku Hirota, 70, who were sentenced to die, and five others given prison sentences. Their American attorneys attacked legality of the Tokyo trials.

Wartime Premier Hideki Tojo and four others doomed to death filed no appeals. But they have of course, a vital indirect interest in the case. For example, if the Supreme Court should declare the Allied tribunal invalid, it is considered highly questionable whether the sentences the tribunal imposed would be carried out by Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

MacArthur has stayed the sentences awaiting the court's decision.

The court, by tie vote, had previosly declined to pass upon the sentences given a number of German war criminals. A tie vote rejects an appeal for action. The Nazis were convicted, however, by United States military courts rather than by international tribunals.

OUR APPRECIATION

We wish to express our deep appreciation to our many friends who helped us when our home and furnishings were destroyed by fire. We are especially grateful to the Fire Department and to our neighbors who tried so hard. We know they did everything they possibly could. And to you who gave us clothing, furniture, cash donations or in any way helped us, we shall always be grateful and hold a warm loving spot in our hearts for each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Pratt,
A. D. Lagrone.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Delahunty have returned to their home in San Angelo after spending several days here where they attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Susan Frances Delahunty.

$650,000 AUTHORIZED FOR FAMILY HOUSING

An emergency family-housing plan, designed to add 241 noncommissioned officer living units and 326 commissioned officer living units, for Camp Hood, at a cost of $650,964, has been prepared by the post engineer and submitted to head-quarters, Fourth Army, for approval. The plan is in anticipation of the heavy housing demands which will result from assignment of selective service selectees to Camp Hood.

Funds have been appropriated for the construction of 232 permanent family quarters, 115 units for noncommissioned officers and 77 for commissioned officers.

Originally, row-type houses (eight units each) were the permanent-type structures authoriized for construction; but following a survey, conducted by the Galveston District engineer covering climatic conditions and construction costs peculiar to this locality, recommendations were made to change to duplex type housing here.

At present there are family quarters on the post for 785 non-commissioned officers' families, 271 officers' families, and 292 civilians' families.

Plans are being prepared for the relocation of 17 North Camp Hood apartment buildings to South Camp Hood, and for provision of trailer camp facilities to accommodate 40 individaully owned trailers. Funds have been allocated for accomplishment of these projects.

Actually, every available building on the post is being planned for rehabilitation to provide adequate facilities in accordance with the selective service act for the anticipated troop strength. Highest priority has been assigned this improvement program, and every effort is being made for its early accomplishment.

Upon completion of the emergency housing program and other projects for which appropriations have been provided, Camp Hood will have a total of 1305 married non-commissioned officer quarters and 692 married commissioned officer quarters.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Swift announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Melma Swift, to Alvin Meyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Meyer.

The wedding will take place January 30, 1949.

The many friends of Bill Story will regret to know that he is ill and is a patient at St. Erward's Hospital. It is hoped that he will make a rapid recovery.

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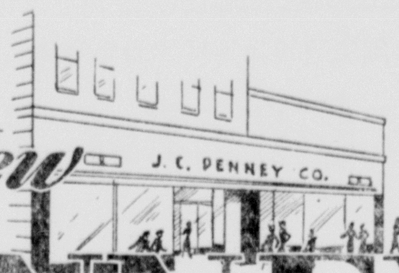

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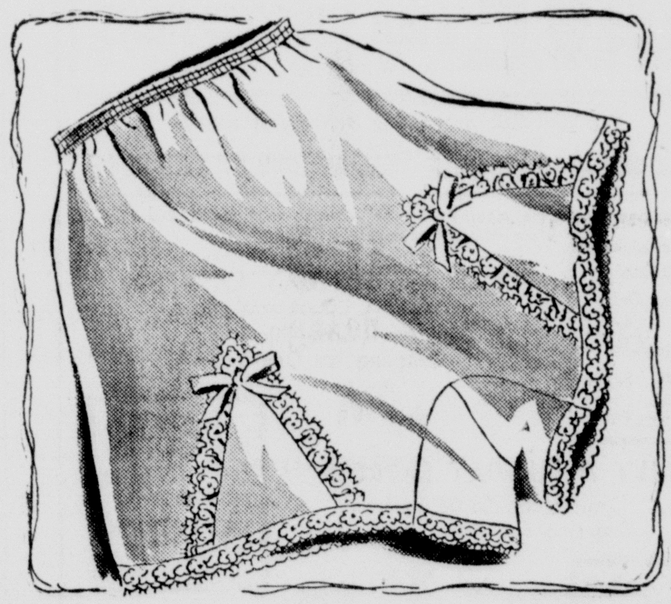

Non-run rayon tricot knit brief style in maize, blue, white and tearose. Size 5, 6, and 7.

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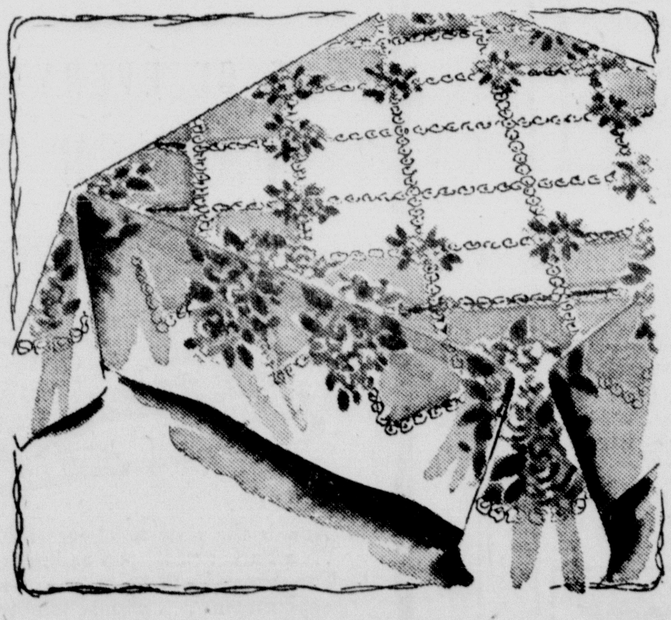

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